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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Linderman, et al.                      Group Art Unit: 1653  
Serial No.: 09/727,236                      Examiner: D. Lukton  
Filed: 30 November 2000  
For: *INSECTICIDAL PEPTIDOMIMETICS OF TRYPSIN MODULATING  
OOSTATIC FACTOR*

#14  
PATENT  
*Amend B*  
1/3/03

December 13, 2002

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Sir:

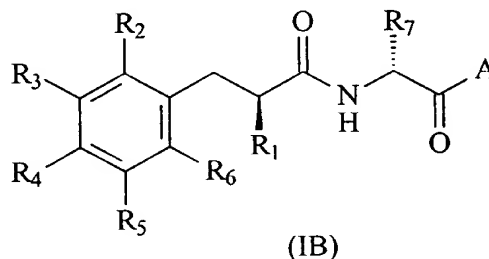
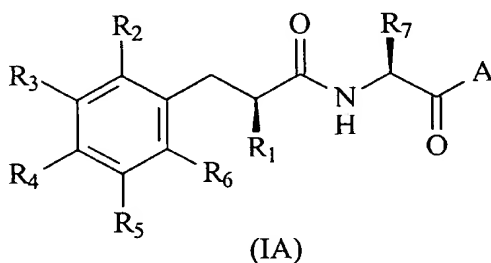
This is in response to the Official Action of August 13, 2002

**In the claims:**

Please cancel claim 3, for the purpose of rewriting.

Please enter the following amended claim:

*B1*  
1 (twice amended). A method for inhibiting propagation of an insect comprising administering to said insect an insecticidally effective amount of an insecticidal compound of **Formula IA or Formula IB:**



wherein:

R<sub>1</sub> is -H, -NH<sub>2</sub>, or -OH;

R<sub>2</sub>, R<sub>3</sub>, R<sub>4</sub>, R<sub>5</sub>, and R<sub>6</sub> are each independently selected from the group consisting of H, halogen, hydroxyl, alkyl, alkylhydroxy, alkoxy, or phenyl;